

Look to your library for information...

Just laid off?

Discover resources to help you explore your options and navigate this life transition.

Databases

- **WOIS/The Career Information System**—Career choice information and assessment tools for civilian and military occupations.
- **Testing & Education Reference Center**—Get prepared with eBooks and interactive practice for civil service, military and academic admissions exams, résumé and career advice.
- **Mango Languages**—Learn a new language.
- **ProQuest**—Articles on a diverse range of topics from magazines, journals and newspapers.
- **Careers & Education Reference Collection**—Career and education themed reference books.
- **GrantStation**—Potential funding sources for grant seekers, *accessible only in KCLS libraries*.

Agencies and Web Sites

- **Employment Security Department**—Resources for unemployed workers.
Are you eligible for unemployment benefits? Do you qualify for worker retraining?
<http://www.esd.wa.gov/>
1.800.318.6022
- **WorkSource**—Offices are open to the public and provide the information, technology and services that job seekers need to secure satisfying jobs.
<http://www.worksourceskc.org/>
Redmond, 425.861.3700
Renton, 206.205.3500
Auburn, 253.804.117
North Seattle, 206.440.2500
- **Centerpoint Institute for Life and Career Renewal**—Inspiring people to discover creativity, passion and renewed commitment. Service fees may apply.
<http://www.centerpointseattle.org>
206.686.5433
- **Goodwill Job Training & Education Center**—Offers free computer and ESL classes.
www.seattlegoodwill.org
206.329.1000
- **Small Business Administration**—Free online courses about starting and running a small business.
<http://www.sba.gov/>
- **Community Colleges**—Offer evening and weekend classes in broad subject areas including computers, languages, health, arts and business.
Seattle Community Colleges, <http://www.sccd.ctc.edu/>
North Seattle, 206.527.3600
Central Seattle, 206.587.3800
South Seattle, 206.764.5300
Bellevue, 425.564.1000 or <http://bellevuecollege.edu/>
Renton Technical College, 425.235.2352 or <http://www.rtc.edu/>
Lake Washington Technical College, 425.739.8100 or <http://www.lwtc.edu/>

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Searching for a Job?

Find tips on résumés, job search strategies, successful interviewing techniques and online employment sites.

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- **State of Washington Employment Information**
<http://access.wa.gov/employment>
- **Washington State Employment Security Department**–Find out how to apply for unemployment benefits.
<http://www.esd.wa.gov/>
1.800.318.6022
- **United States Department of Labor**–Nationwide toll-free assistance with questions about job loss, business closures, pay and leave, workplace safety and health, pension and health benefits, and workplace injuries.
<http://www.dol.gov/>
1.866.4.U.S.A.DOL
- **Familias Unidas**–Helps the Hispanic community in finding jobs, creating résumés, obtaining food stamps and filling out job applications.
425.513.2880
- **AtWork!**–Helps those with disabilities learn marketable skills, find and keep good jobs in the community.
425.274.4000

Local Job Postings

- **Seattle Craigslist**, <http://seattle.craigslist.org/>
- **NWJobs.com**, <http://marketplace.nwsources.com/jobs/> (classifieds online with Seattle Times/PI)
- **JobDango**, <http://www.jobdango.com/> (The Northwest's most popular job site.)
- **SeattleJobs.com**, <http://www.seattlejobs.org/>
- **Pacific Northwest Careers**, <http://www.pnwcareers.com/>
- For more local listings see **WorkSource**, <http://www.worksourceskc.org/seekers/jobsearch.asp>

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